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SUBJECT: CULTURAL PRESENTATIONS

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1. PIANIST MILTON KAYE REGRETS UNABLE PERFORM PORTUGAL NOVEMBER 12-18. HOWEVER, AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER 26-OCTOBER 2. ADVISE CU/ARTS SOONEST WHETHER THESE DATES SATISFACTORY AND PROGRAMS DESIRED.

2. STRADIVARI QUARTET NOW AVAILABLE FOR EUR FEBRUARY 12-21, 1976 AT DOLS 700 PER CONCERT, PLUS PER DIEM, INTERNAL TRAVEL AND TRAVEL BETWEEN COUNTRIES. GROUP'S EUROPEAN ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE POINT WILL BE LUXUMBOURG.

3. PER STATE REFTEL, ISTOMIN ADVISED DEPT AVAILABLE FOR LISBON MARCH 23-30 OR MAY 3-6 1976. FEE IS DOLS 2000 PER CONCERT PLUS TRANSPORTATION FROM AND TO PARIS. ADVISE CU/ARTS, WHO IN TOUCH DIRECTLY WITH ISTOMIN RATHER THAN EUROPEAN IMPRESARIO, IF INTERESTED.

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4. BLACK EARTH PERCUSSION GROUP NOW PLANS RETURN U.S. FROM

GENEVA OCTOBER 10. PARIS TENTATIVELY INTERESTED IN ONLY  
DATES NOW AVAILABLE OCTOBER 5-8. CU/ARTS CABLED PARIS  
AUGUST 5 REQUESTING EARLY CONFIRMATION. IN ORDER FOR  
GROUP TO CONSIDER CHANGING LOWER COST RETURN AIR RESERVA-  
TION, THEY MUST RECEIVE DOLS 1500 (3 CONCERTS AT DOLS 500  
EACH). PURCHASING EURAIL PASS. THEREFORE NO INTER-COUNTRY  
TRAVEL NEEDED. IF POST CAN MEET THIS FEE, ADVISE CU/ARTS  
ASAP. -- -

5. PIANIST RICHARD TETLEY-KARDOS RATED EXCELLENT (A-)  
AVAILABLE ENROUTE FROM INDIA FOR PROGRAMMING SOMETIME BE-  
TWEEN APRIL 1-10 AT DOLS 200 PER CONCERT PLUS PER DIEM AND  
INTERNAL TRAVEL. KISSINGER

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